GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4520
ANSWERED ON:17.04.2001
HOSTELS FOR WORKING WOMEN
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the Central assistance provided to the State Governments for the construction of hostels for women during 1999-2000, 2000-01 and 2001-02;

(b) whether the Government propose to construct more hostels for the working women and girls during the current year;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Union Government have issued any guidelines to the State Governments in this regard recently; and

(e) if so, the details thereof ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN)

(a) Under the scheme of Assistance for Construction/ Expansion of Hostel Building for Working Women, grants are given to Autonomous Bodies/Non-Governmental& other organizations. A statement indicating state-wise assistance provided during 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 is attached (Annexure). For the financial year 2001-2002, a plan provision of Rs.9 crores has been made.

(b) & (c) Yes, Sir. It is proposed to construct at least 25 new working women hostels in the current financial year.

(d) & (e) No, Sir. However, State Government have been requested to forward proposals for construction of new hostles expeditiously, in a timely manner.

Annexure

STATEMENT SHOWING STATE/UT WISE GRANT RELEASED FOR CONSTRUCTION OF WORKING WOMEN HO DURING THE LAST THREE YEARS

S.No.	State/UT	Grant released (In rupees)		
		1998-99	1999-2000	2000-2001
1.	Andhra Pradesh	26,64,210	45,53,956	42,69,440
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	86,896		6,04,733
3.	Assam	4,76,807	4,99,218	18,13,050
4.	Gujarat	18,26,203	1,12,804	77,82,115
5.	Haryana	10,60,013	44,52,550	38,93,397
6.	Himachal Pradesh			13,21,425
7	Jammu & Kashmir	21,22,200		16,07,400
8.	Karnataka	2,53,84,607	1,16,16,657	1,33,89,310

9.	Kerala	1,25,62,439	1,72,85,976	1,26,72,516
10.	Madhya Pradesh	2,08,130	3,79,977	2,28,300
11.	Maharashtra	78,66,879	60,90,276	79,85,779
12.	Manipur	1,33,378	17,54,137	6,50,137
13.	Nagaland	1,46,250	13,25,606	14,36,381
14.	Orissa	37,99,095	10,76,502	21,80,838
15.	Punjab	15,24,128		6,30,068
16.	Rajasthan	2,11,950	70,650	
17.	Tamil Nadu	60,65,642	32,98,909	41,87,991
18.	Uttaranchal			17,90,000
19.	Uttar Pradesh	37,83,418	24,21,000	3,23,376
20.	West Bengal	35,34,599	1,03,42,406	1,39,840
21.	Chandigarh		3,03,709	
22.	Delhi	28,43,156	39,91,079	76,50,904
23.	Pondicherry		12,37,500	
	Total	7,73,00,000	7,08,12,912	7,45,57,000